

Amendment and Response
Serial No. 10/611,585
Art Unit: 2819

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 18, and 22-29 are currently pending. Claims 1-6, 9, and 12-16 stand rejected. By this amendment, claims 1-6, 9, and 12-16 are cancelled without prejudice.


Assignee appreciates the courtesies extended by Examiner during the August 26, 2005 phone. It was noted that claims 18, and 22-29 were not addressed in the Office Action of May 20, 2005. Assignee respectfully submits that these claims are allowable.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the pending claims define allowable subject matter. Applicants respectfully request that the present case pass to allowance. Should anything remain in order to place the present application in condition for allowance, the Examiner is kindly invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Please charge any required fees not paid herewith or credit any overpayment to the Deposit Account of McAndrews, Held & Malloy, Ltd., Account No. 13-0017.

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